

## Message Text

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R 130846Z MAY 77  
FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4983  
INFO AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN  
AMEMBASSY GABORONE  
AMEMBASSY LONDON  
AMEMBASSY LUSAKA  
AMEMBASSY MAPUTO  
AMEMBASSY NAIROBI  
AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

C O N F I D E N T I A L DAR ES SALAAM 1936

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, RH  
SUBJECT: PATRIOTIC FRONT DEVELOPMENTS

REF: (A) DAR ES SALAAM 1798, (B) DAR ES SALAAM 1662

1. PATRIOTIC FRONT TALKS IN DAR ES SALAAM ON MERGER OF  
MILIARY FORCES ARE REPORTED BY LOCAL PRESS TO HAVE ENDED  
MAY 6. ZANU AND ZAPU REPRESENTATIVES WERE TO HAVE MOVED  
ON TO LUSAKA FOR MORE TALKS BEGINNING WEEK OF MAY 9. THIS  
WOULD BE FOLLOWED BY FURTHER DISCUSSIONS IN MAPUTO WITH  
STILL MORE TALKS LATER IN DAR ES SALAAM. ALL FOUR SESSIONS  
ARE APPARENTLY BEING HELD BY THE SAME SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE  
PATRIOTIC FRONT CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE CHARGED WITH WORKING  
OUT THE "DETAILS" OF UNIFICATION OF ZAPU AND ZANU FORCES (REF A).

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2. PATRIOTIC FRONT HAS TAKEN NO OVERT STEPS TO ACT ON DECISION  
(REF B) TO OPEN HEADQUARTERS IN DAR ES SALAAM. EMB OFF DIS-  
CUSSED SUBJECT WITH ZANU (MUGABE WING) INFORMATION SECRETARY  
RUGARE GUMBO WHO ATTENDED MILITARY MERGER TALKS. GUMBO SAID  
NO OFFICE SPACE FOR FRONT HAD BEEN LOCATED. TANGOV HAD NOT  
BEEN CALLED ON TO ASSIST. ZANU'S DAR ES SALAAM OFFICE WOULD  
BE UPGRADED SLIGHTLY IN ANTICIPATION OF ESTABLISHMENT OF FRONT

HEADQUARTERS BY DETAILING FROM MAPUTO EITHER GUMBO OR HIS  
DEPUTY, DZINGAI MUTUMBUKA.  
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